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INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204-2764
IN THE MATTER OF PETITION OF)
INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY,)
INCORPORATED ("SBC INDIANA") FOR)
THE COMMISSION TO EXERCISE ITS)
STATUTORY AUTHORITY UNDER)
I.C. 8-1-2.6 *ET SEQ.* TO DECLINE TO)
EXERCISE ITS JURISDICTION, IN WHOLE)
OR IN PART, AND USE ALTERNATIVE)
REGULATORY PROCEDURES AND)
STANDARDS AND APPROVE)
SBC INDIANA'S ALTERNATIVE)
REGULATION PLAN FOR THE PRICING)
AND OTHER REGULATION OF)
SBC INDIANA'S RETAIL AND)
CARRIER ACCESS SERVICES.)

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INDIANA UTILITY
REGULATORY COMMISSION

CAUSE NO. 42405

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF)
INDIANA OFFICE OF UTILITY)
CONSUMER COUNSELOR ("OUCC") FOR)
THE COMMISSION TO EXERCISE ITS)
STATUTORY AUTHORITY UNDER)
I.C. 8-1-2.6 *ET SEQ.* TO DECLINE TO)
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OUCC'S ALTERNATIVE)
REGULATION PLAN FOR THE PRICING)
AND OTHER REGULATION OF)
SBC INDIANA'S RETAIL AND)
CARRIER ACCESS SERVICES.)

IN THE MATTER OF JOINT PETITION OF)
THE CITIZENS ACTION COALITION OF)
INDIANA, INC., AND UNITED SENIOR)
ACTION OF INDIANA, INC., TO APPROVE)
AN ALTERNATE ALTERNATIVE)
REGULATION PLAN FOR THE PRICING)
AND OTHER REGULATION OF SBC)

INDIANA'S RETAIL AND CARRIER)
ACCESS SERVICES.)

You are hereby notified that on this date the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission ("Commission") makes the following entry in this Cause:

This Cause is scheduled for an Evidentiary Hearing to commence on February 3, 2004, with four consecutive days set aside to complete the Evidentiary Hearing. There is a substantial amount of testimony in this proceeding. In an effort to ensure that the Evidentiary Hearing is conducted as efficiently as possible, the Presiding Officers have adopted the following procedures to be followed in this Cause:

1. All parties should discuss among themselves and agree upon the order in which the direct, responsive, and/or reply or rebuttal testimony of each witness will be offered into the record at the Evidentiary Hearing, followed by cross-examination. In addition, and keeping the established time frame for completion of the Evidentiary Hearing in mind, the appropriate parties should estimate the amount of time needed to cross-examine each witness. An agreed order of witnesses with estimated times for cross-examination should be filed with the Commission and served on all parties on or before January 30, 2004.
2. To the extent the parties are able to stipulate to the admissibility of any testimony and/or waive cross examination of any witnesses, that information should be included in the filing required in paragraph No. 1 above.
3. Any corrections that a witness desires to make to his or her prefiled testimony should be made by filing the corrections with the Commission and serving copies on all parties on or before January 29, 2004.
4. Unless the existence of an objection is necessarily dependent upon the response to a preliminary question, any objection to the admissibility of any prefiled testimony should be filed with the Commission and served on all parties on or before January 29, 2004.

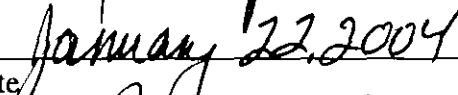
IT IS SO ORDERED.



Judith G. Ripley, Commissioner



Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge



Date



Nancy E. Manley, Secretary to the Commission